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In re Appln. of: Guyan et al.

Appln. No.: 09/305,234

Filed: May 4, 1999

For: Component Based Task Handling During Claim Processing

Examiner: S. Rimell

Art Unit: 2165

Attorney Docket No: 10022/248

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Attached is/are:

- ☒ Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment
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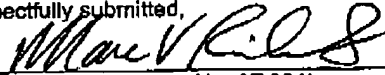
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, mailed July 26, 2005, please find enclosed the entire "Amendment to the Claims" section, which begins on page 2 herewith, to replace the same section in the amendment document filed on May 2, 2005.

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